

BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of

Philadelphia 2000 and Karen
Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer;
Access Industries, Inc.;
Florida Crystals, Inc.;
Flo-Sun, Inc.;
QTV, Inc.;
Voter.com

Audit Referral #02-09

MUR # 5394

CERTIFICATION

I, Darlene Harris, recording secretary for the Federal Election Commission executive session on November 4, 2003, do hereby certify that the Commission decided by a vote of 5-0 to take the following actions with respect to Audit Referral #02-09:

1. Open a Matter Under Review.
2. Find reason to believe that Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, accepted prohibited contributions, totaling \$85,000, from Access Industries, Inc. and Voter.com in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.
3. Find reason to believe that Access Industries, Inc. made a prohibited contribution, totaling \$25,000, to Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.

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- 4. Find reason to believe that Voter.com made a prohibited contribution, totaling \$60,000, to Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.**
- 5. Find reason to believe that Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, accepted prohibited contributions, totaling \$50,000, from Florida Crystals, Inc. and Flo-Sun, Inc. in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.**
- 6. Find reason to believe that Florida Crystals, Inc. made a prohibited contribution, totaling \$25,000, to Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.**
- 7. Find reason to believe that Flo-Sun, Inc. made a prohibited contribution, totaling \$25,000, to Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.**
- 8. Find reason to believe that Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, accepted a prohibited contribution, totaling \$65,000, from QTV, Inc., in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.**

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9. Find reason to believe that QTV, Inc. made a prohibited contribution, totaling \$65,000, to Philadelphia 2000 and Karen Dougherty Buchholz, as Treasurer, in violation of 2 U.S.C. § 441b(a), but take no further action.
10. Find reason to believe that QTV, Inc. violated 11 CFR § 116.8 by failing to file a letter of intent with the Commission regarding debt forgiveness, but take no further action.
11. Approve the appropriate letters.
12. Close the file.

Commissioners Mason, McDonald, Smith, Thomas, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Commissioner Toner recused himself with respect to this matter; he was not present and did not vote.

Attest:

November 5, 2003
Date

Darlene Harris
Darlene Harris
Deputy Secretary of
the Commission